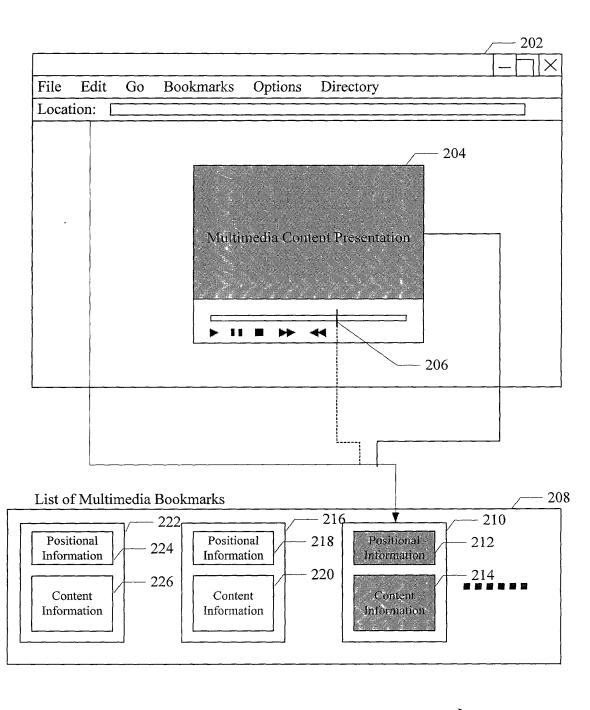


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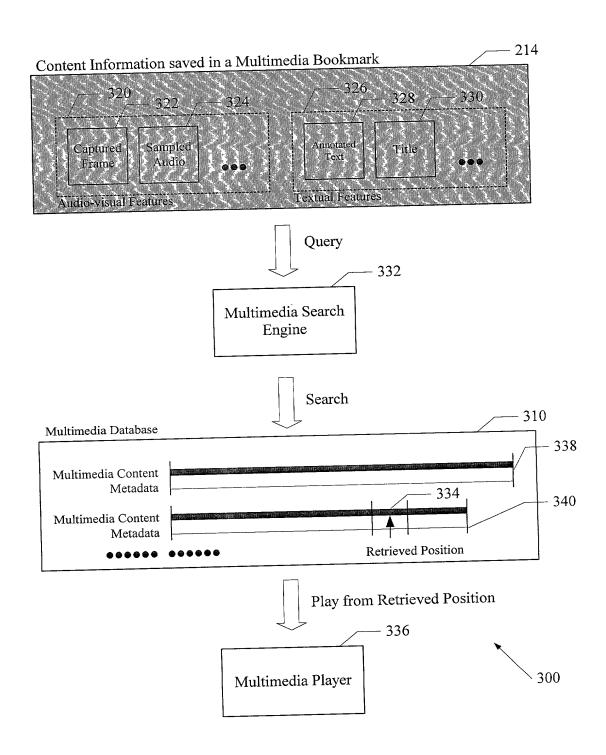
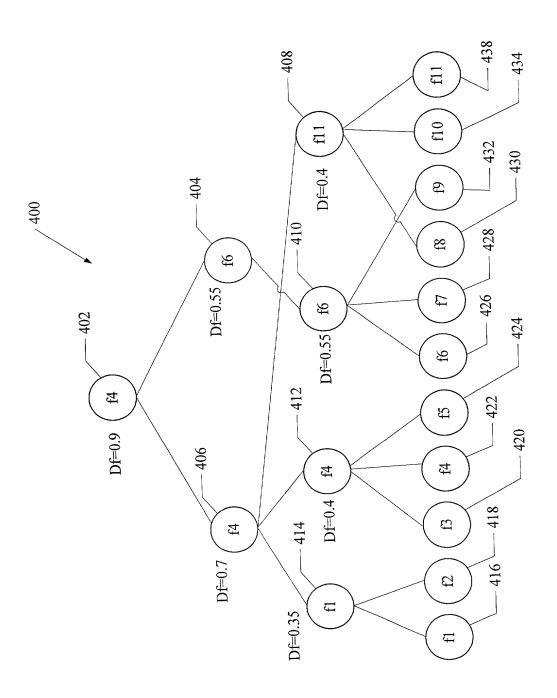
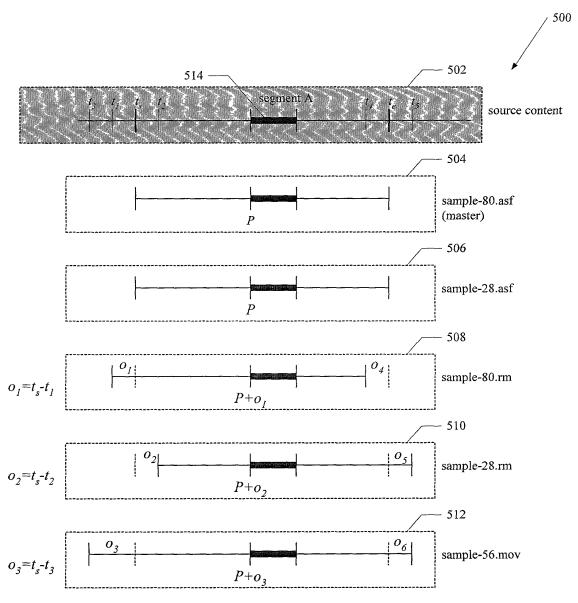
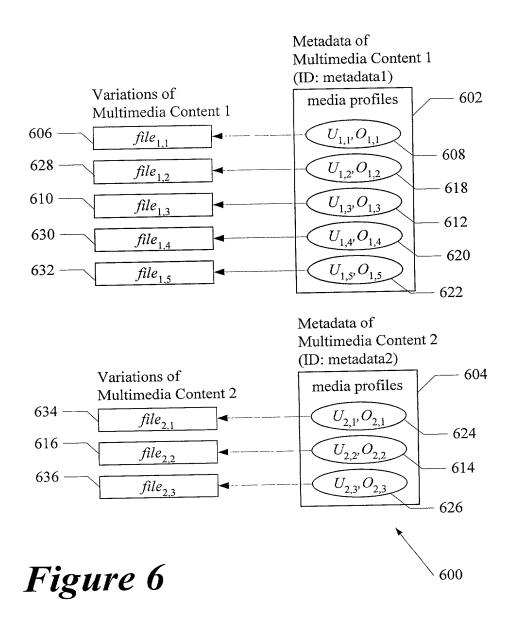


Figure 3





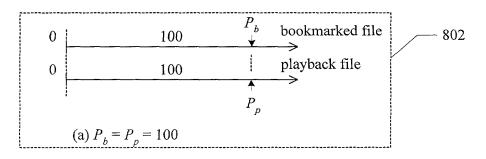
\* The media time point P is a start time of the segment A in the master file.

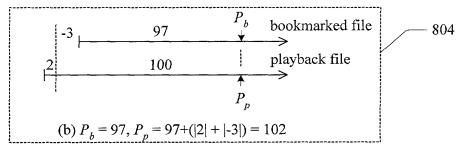


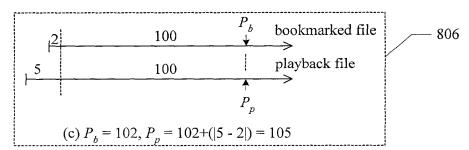
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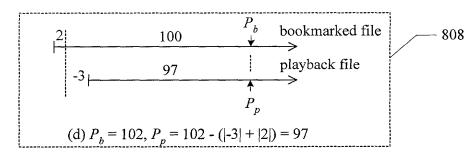
Figure 7

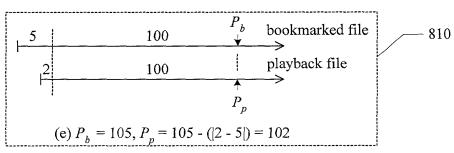
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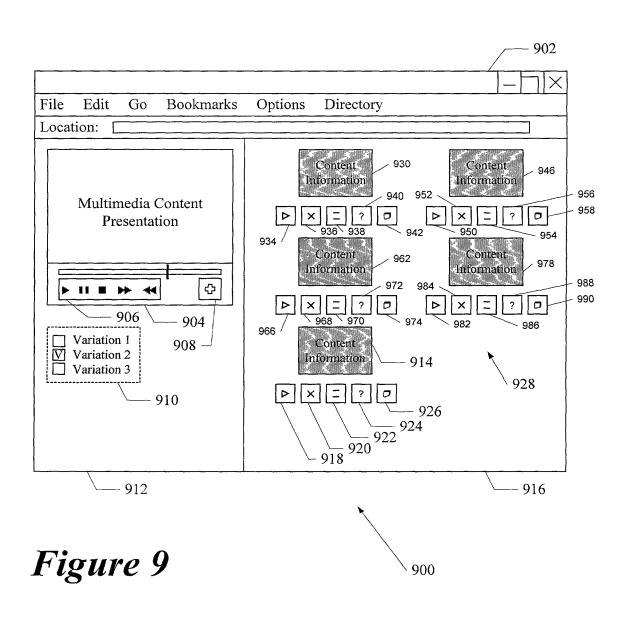


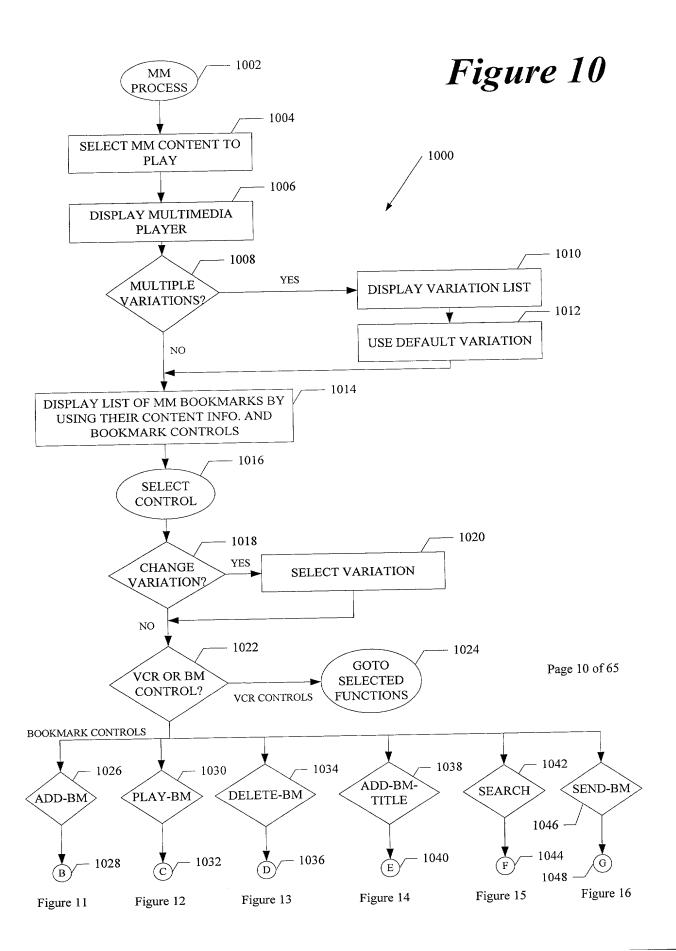


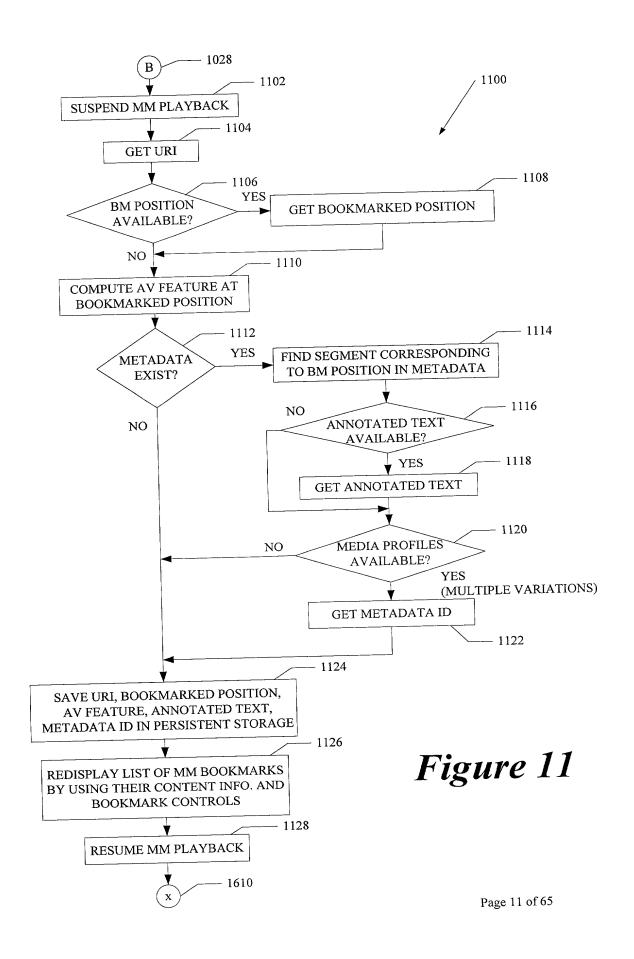


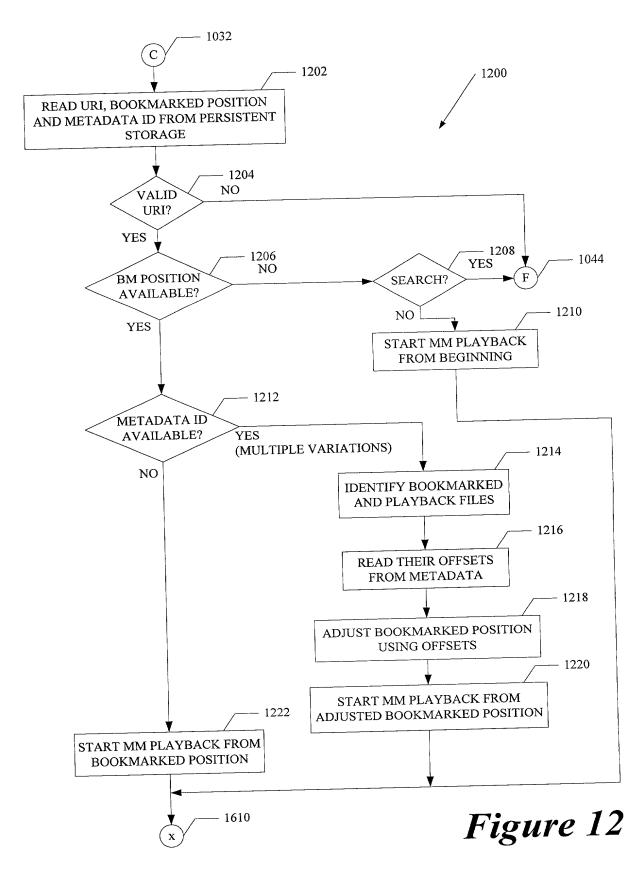


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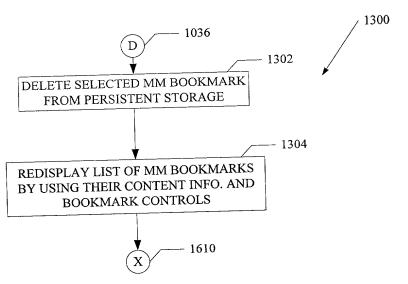


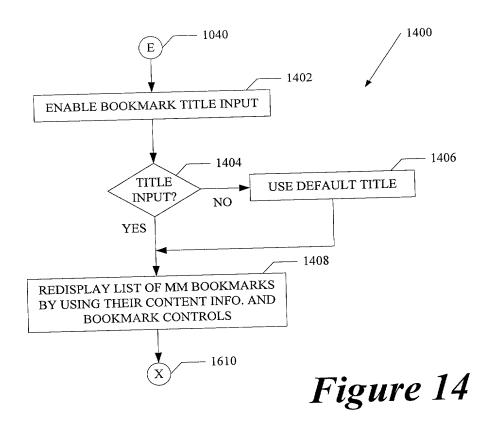




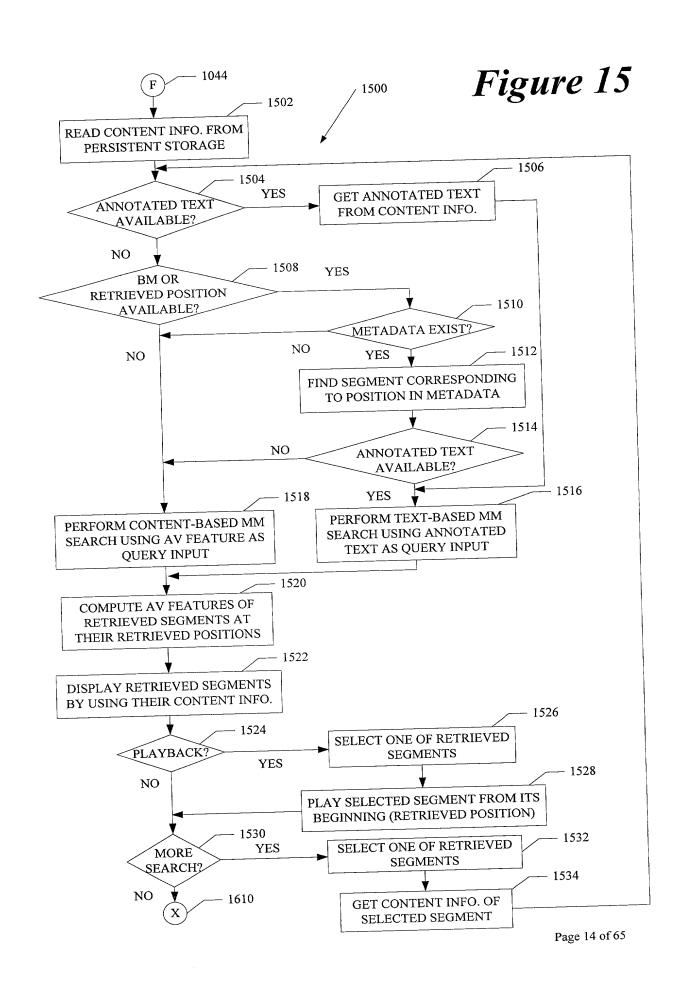


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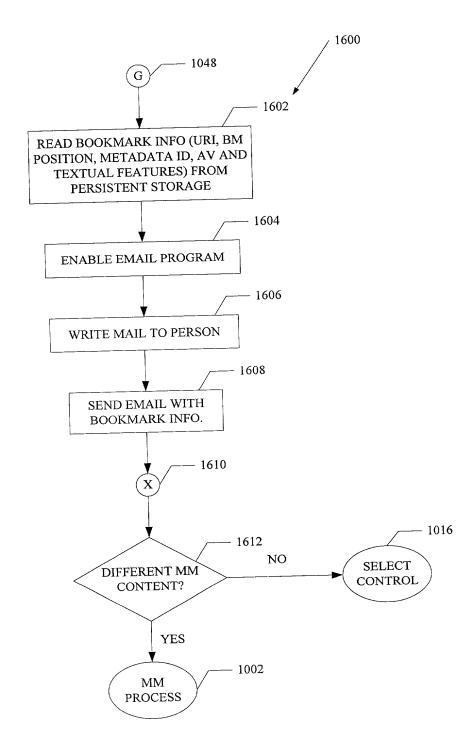


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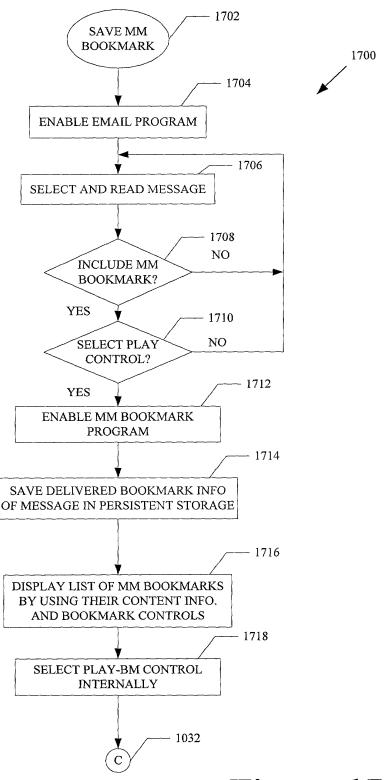


Figure 17

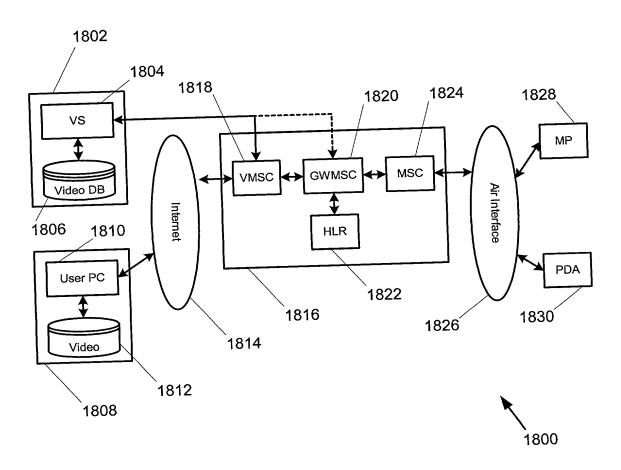


Figure 18

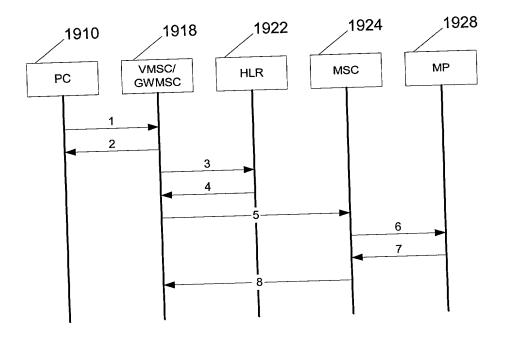


Figure 19

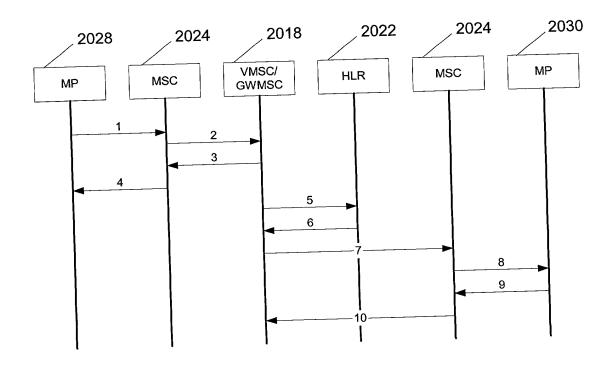


Figure 20

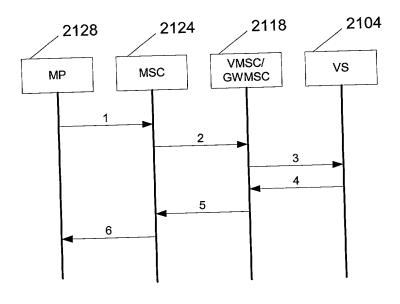


Figure 21

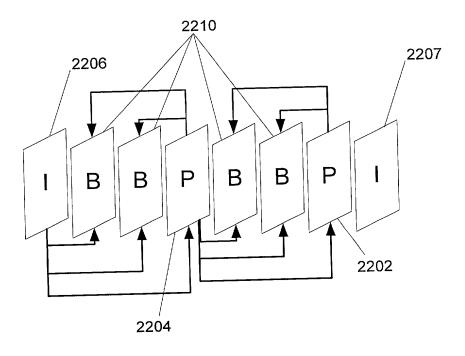


Figure 22

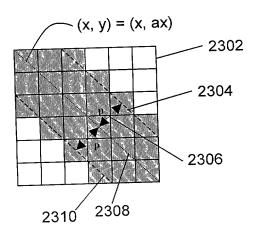


Figure 23

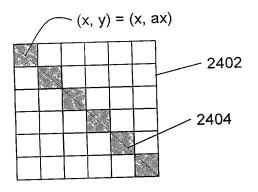
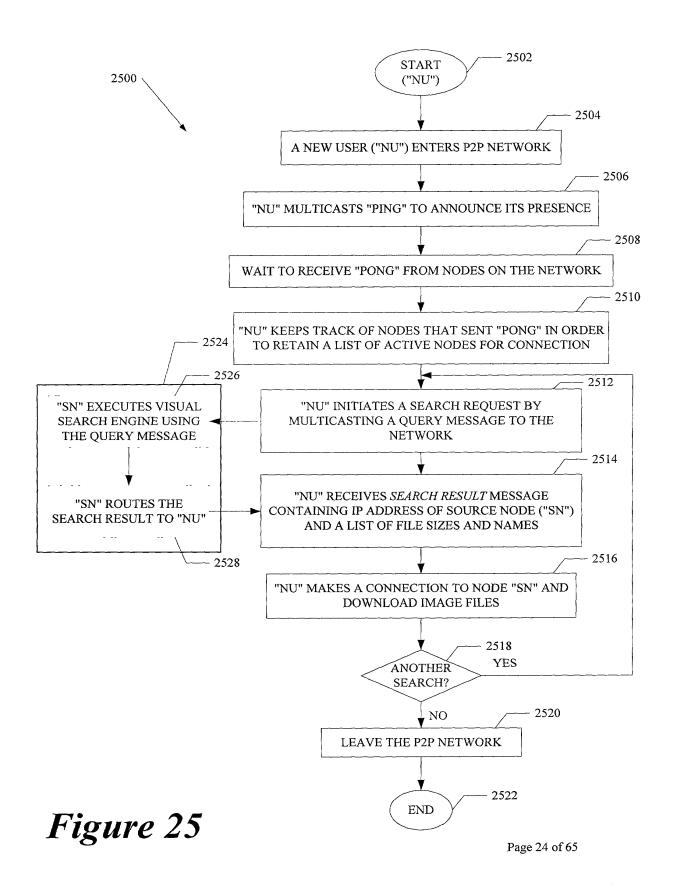


Figure 24



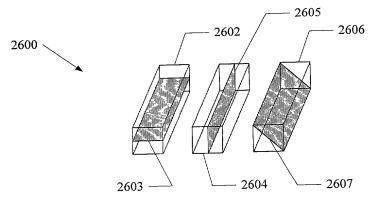


Figure 26

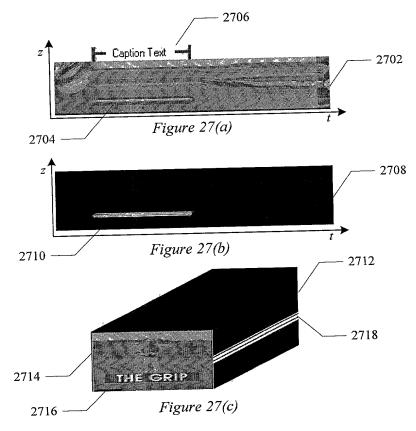


Figure 27

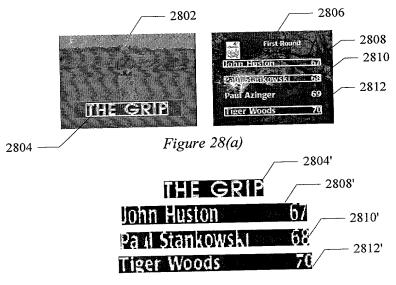


Figure 28(b)

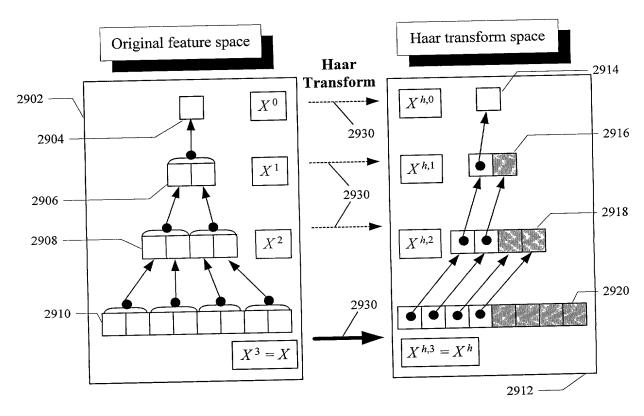
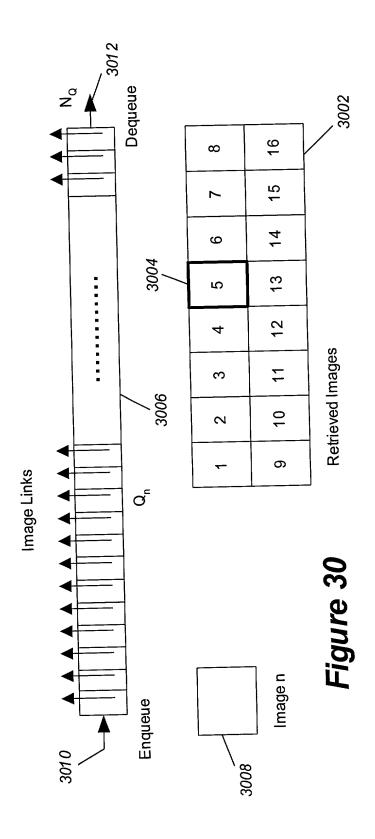
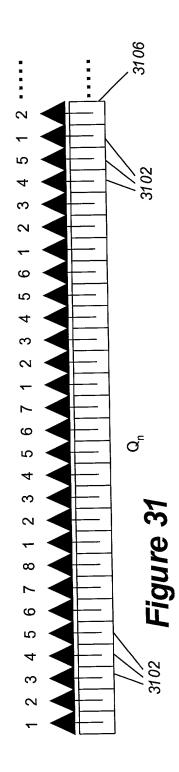


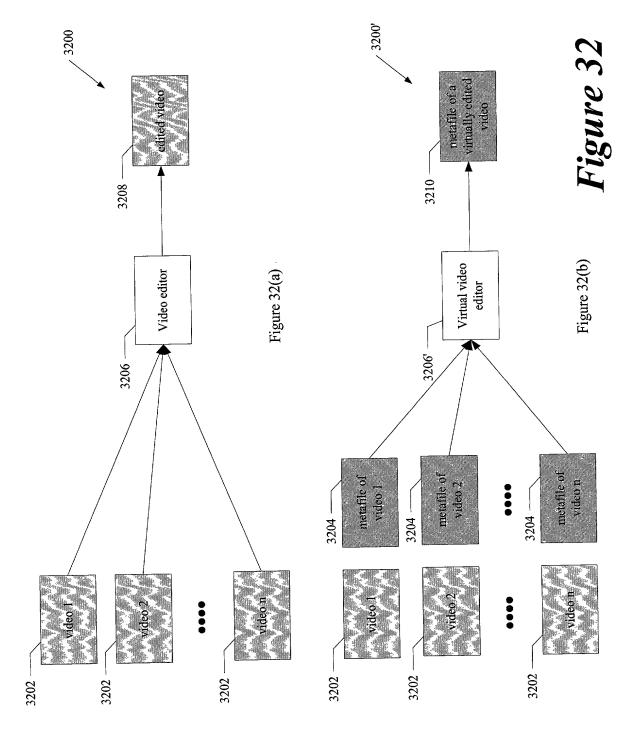
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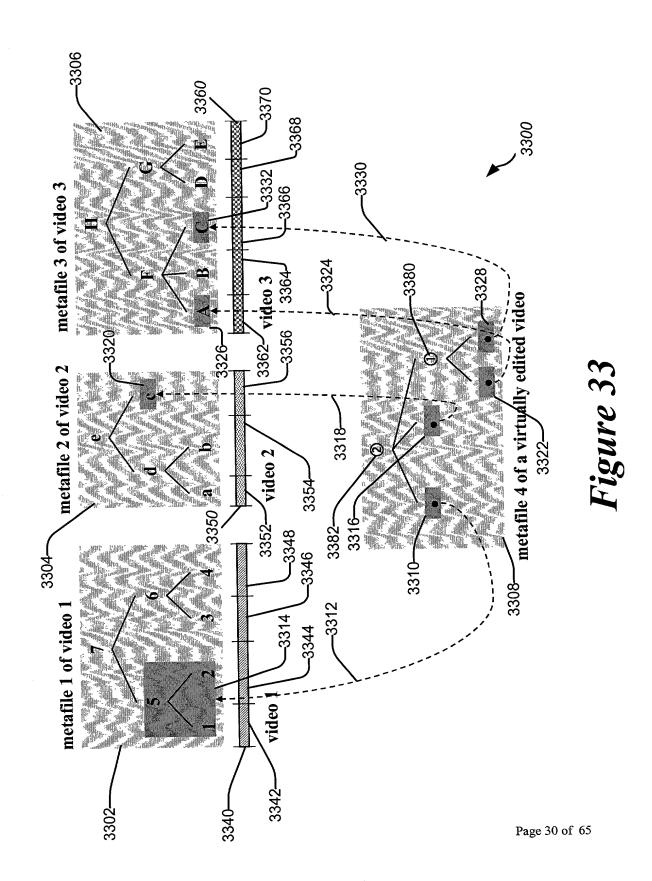


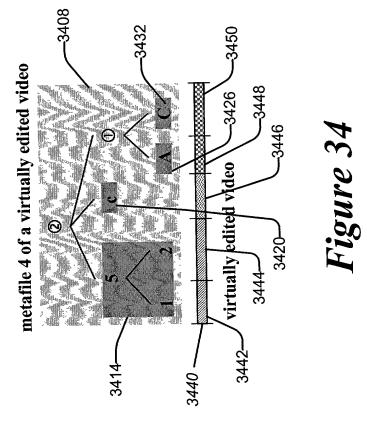


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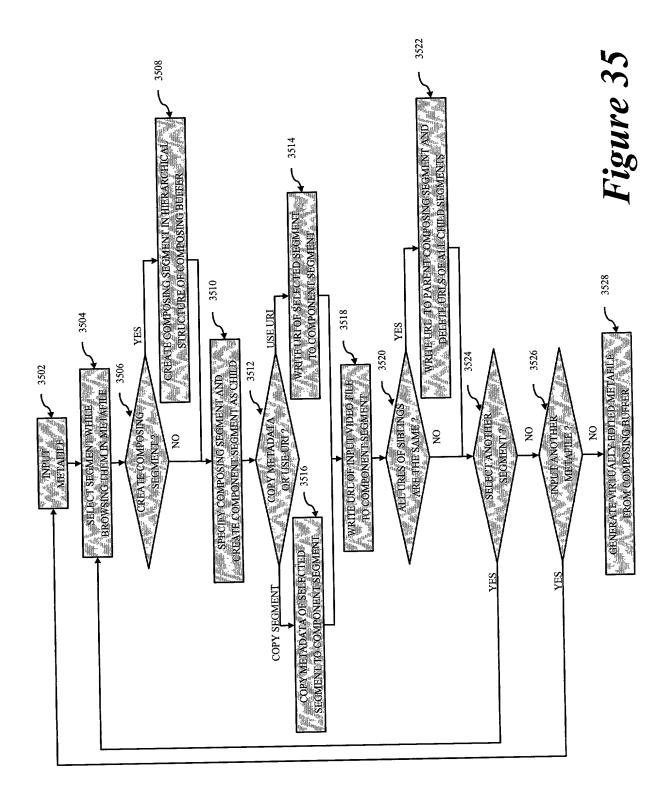


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<!-- This is listing for metafile1.xml of the video1 stored at server1 -->

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             <MediaURI> //www.video.serverl/video1 </MediaURI>
             <StartTime> 0 </startTime> <MediaDuration> 580 </MediaDuration>
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             <Segment id="seg 5" title="segment 5" duration="300">
                 <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 300 </MediaDuration>
                 <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
                <Segment id="seg_1" title="segment 1" duration="100">
                    <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 100 </MediaDuration>
                    <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
                    . . . .
                 </Segment>
                 <Segment id="seg_2" title="segment 2" duration="200">
<StartTime> 100 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 200 </MediaDuration>
                    <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
                 </Segment>
             </Segment>
             <Segment id="seg_6" title="segment 6" duration="280">
                <StartTime> 300 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 280 </MediaDuration>
                 <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
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                    <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
                </Segment>
                <Segment id="seg 4" title="segment 4" duration="170">
                    <StartTime> 410 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 170 </MediaDuration>
                    <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
                 </Segment>
             </segment>
          </Segment>
       </Metadata>
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<!-- This is listing for metafile2.xml of the video2 stored at server1 -->
<Metadata>
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      <MediaURI> //www.video.server1/video2 </MediaURI>
      <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 380 </MediaDuration>
      <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
      <Segment id="seg_d" title="segment d" duration="230">
         <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 230 </MediaDuration>
         <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         <Segment id="seg_a" title="segment a" duration="50">
            <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 50 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         </Segment>
         <Segment id="seg b" title="segment b" duration="180">
            <StartTime> 50 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 180 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
         </Segment>
      </Segment>
      <Segment id="seg c" title="segment c" duration="150">
         <StartTime> 230 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 150 </MediaDuration>
         <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
      </Segment>
   </Segment>
</Metadata>
```

```
<!-- This is listing for metafile3.xml of the video3 stored at server2. -->
<Metadata>
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      <MediaURI> //www.video.server2/video3 </MediaURI>
      <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 620 </MediaDuration>
      <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
      <Segment id="seg_F" title="segment F" duration="410">
         <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 410 </MediaDuration>
         <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
         <Segment id="seg A" title="segment A" duration="80">
            <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 80 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         </segment>
         <Segment id="seg_B" title="segment B" duration="150">
            <StartTime> 80 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 150 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         </seqment>
         <Segment id="seg C" title="segment C" duration="180">
            <StartTime> 230 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 180 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
         </segment>
      </Segment>
      <Segment id="seg_G" title="segment G" duration="210">
         <StartTime> 410 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 210 </MediaDuration>
         <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         <Segment id="seg_D" title="segment D" duration="110">
            <StartTime> 410 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 110 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         </Segment>
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   </Segment>
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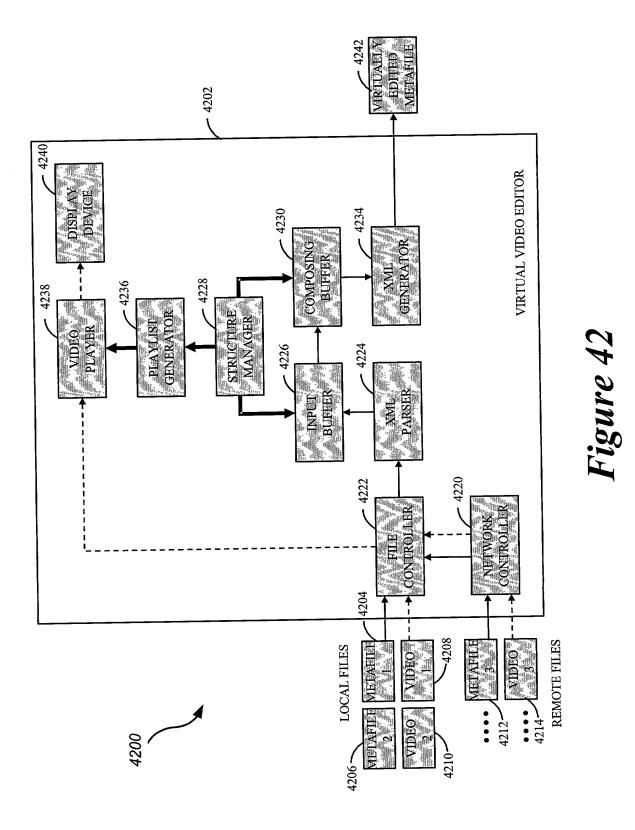
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<!-- This is listing for metafile4.xml of the virtually edited video -->
<!-- according to the "copy metadata of selected segment" method. -->
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      <Segment id="seg 5" title="segment 5" duration="300">
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         <StartTime> 0 </startTime> <MediaDuration> 300 </MediaDuration>
         <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         <Segment id="seg_1" title="segment 1" duration="100">
            <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 100 </MediaDuration>
            <Keyframe> · · · · </Keyframe> <Annotation> · · · · </Annotation>
         </Segment>
         <Segment id="seg_2" title="segment 2" duration="200">
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         </segment>
      </Segment>
      <Segment id="seg c" title="segment c" duration="150">
         <MediaURI> //www.video.server1/video2 </MediaURI>
         <StartTime> 230 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 150 </MediaDuration>
         <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
      </Segment>
      <Segment id="seg 0" title="segment 0" duration="260">
         <MediaURI> //www.video.server2/video3 </MediaURI>
         <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
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         </Segment>
      </Segment>
   </Segment>
</Metadata>
```

## Figure 40

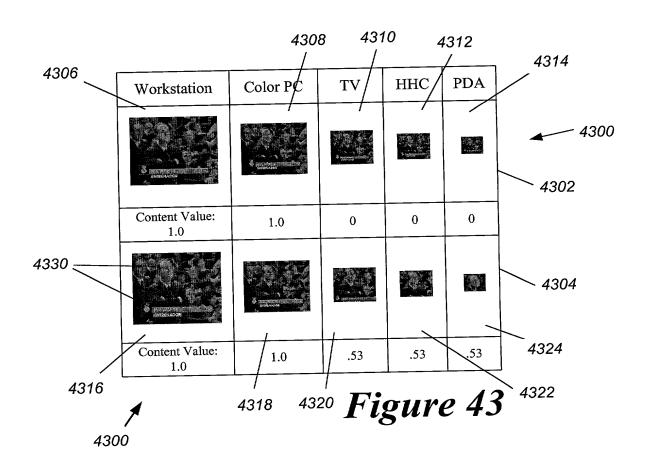
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<!-- This is listing for metafile4.xml of the virtually edited video -->
<!-- according to the "write URI of selected segment" method.
<Metadata>
   <Segment id="seg_@" title="segment @" duration="710">
      <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
      <Segment xlink:form="simple" show="embed"</pre>
         href="//www.video.server1/metafile1.xml#id(seg_5)">
         <MediaURI> //www.video.server1/video1 </MediaURI>
      </Segment>
      <Segment xlink:form="simple" show="embed"</pre>
         href="//www.video.server1/metafile2.xml#id(seg_c)">
         <MediaURI> //www.video.server1/video2 </MediaURI>
      </Segment>
      <Segment id="seg_0" title="segment 0" duration="260">
         <MediaURI> //www.video.server2/video3 </MediaURI>
         <Keyframe> ···· </Keyframe> <Annotation> ···· </Annotation>
         . . . .
         <Segment xlink:form="simple" show="embed"</pre>
            href="//www.video.server2/metafile3.xml#id(seg A)">
         <Segment xlink:form="simple" show="embed"</pre>
            href="//www.video.server2/metafile3.xml#id(seg_C)">
          </Segment>
      </Segment>
   </Segment>
</Metadata >
```

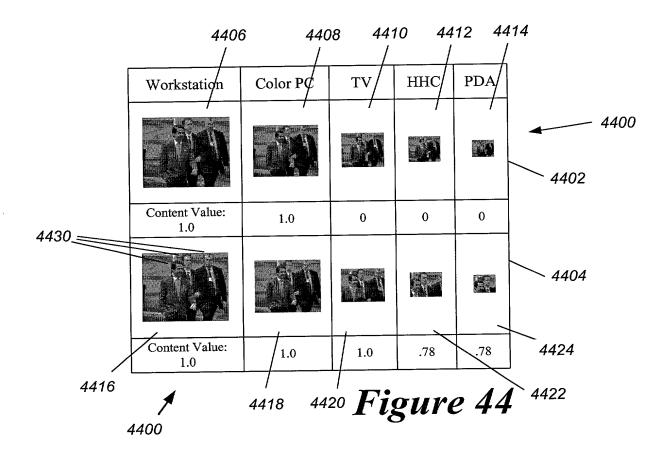
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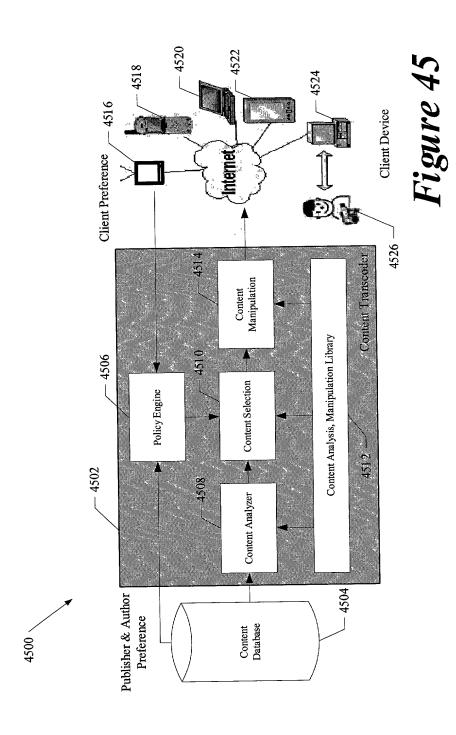
```
<!-- This is play list for a root segment of metafile4.xml -->
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   </MediaSegment>
   <MediaSegment>
      <MediaURI> //www.video.server1/video2 </MediaURI>
      <StartTime> 230 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 150 </MediaDuration>
   </MediaSegment>
   <MediaSegment>
      <MediaURI> //www.video.server2/video3 </MediaURI>
      <StartTime> 0 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 80 </MediaDuration>
   </MediaSegment>
   <MediaSegment>
      <MediaURI> //www.video.server2/video3 </MediaURI>
      <StartTime> 230 </StartTime> <MediaDuration> 180 </MediaDuration>
   </MediaSegment>
</Playlist>
```



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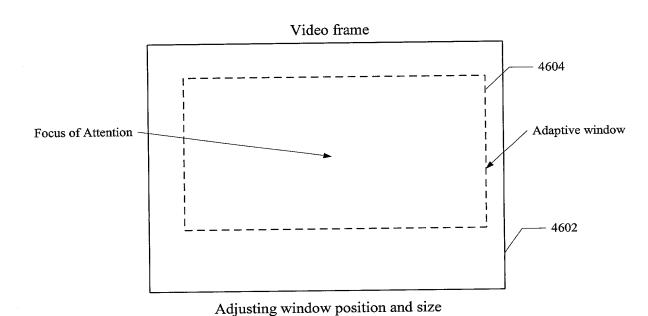


Figure 46

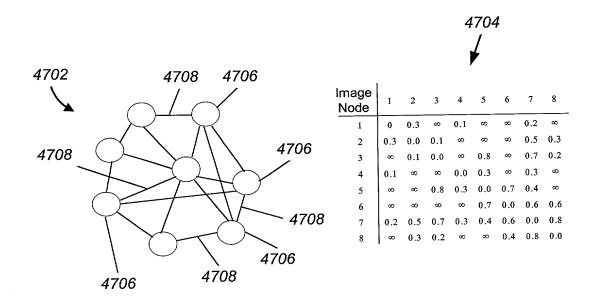
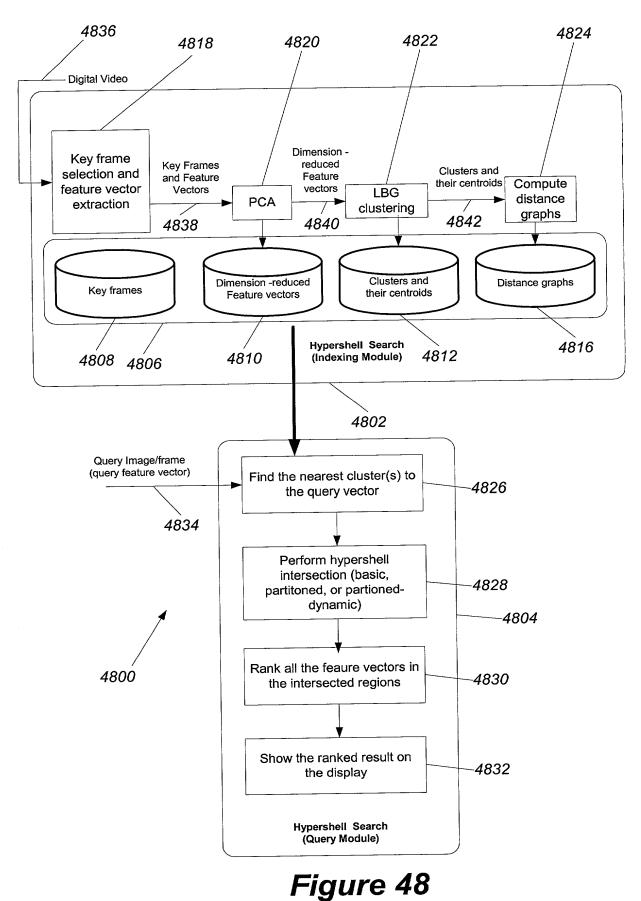
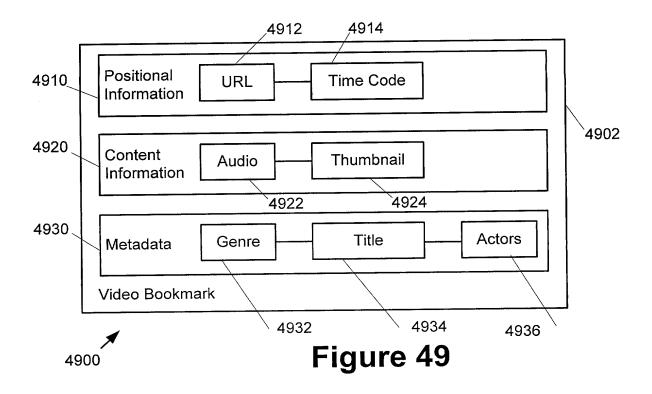
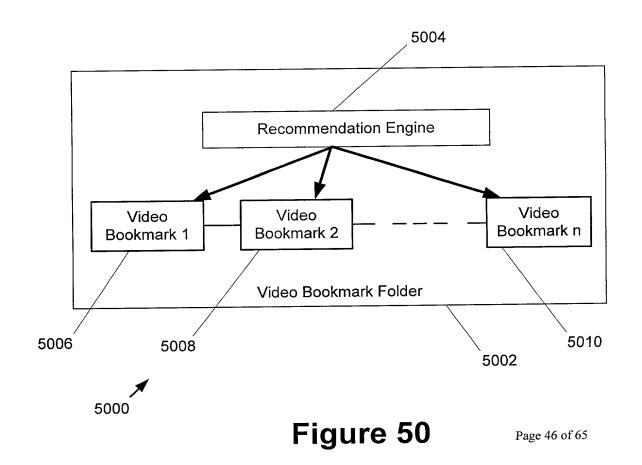


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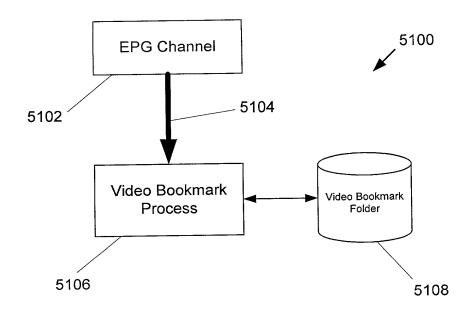


Figure 51

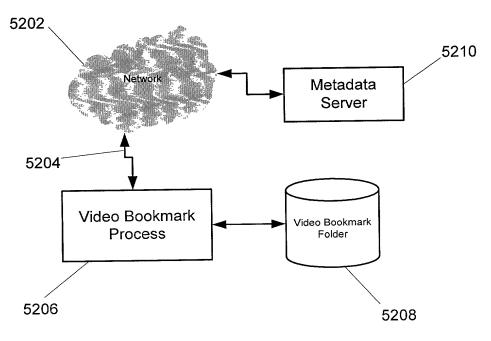
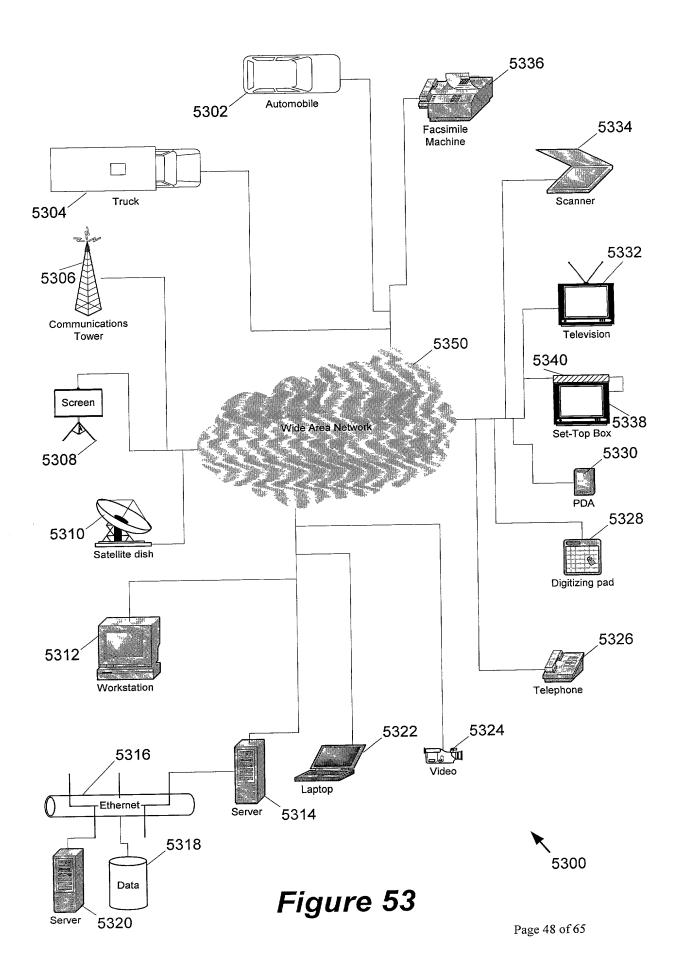


Figure 52



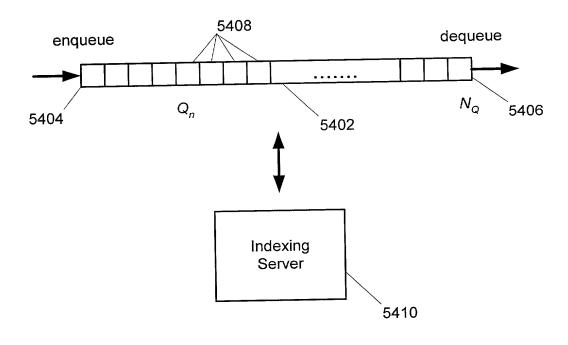


Figure 54

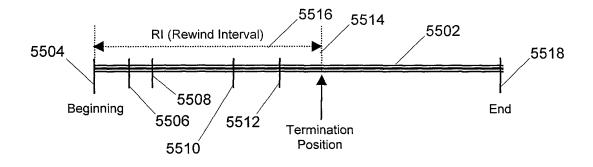


Figure 55

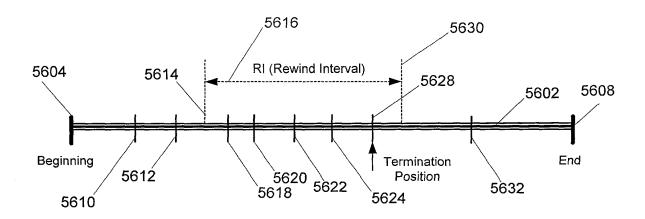


Figure 56

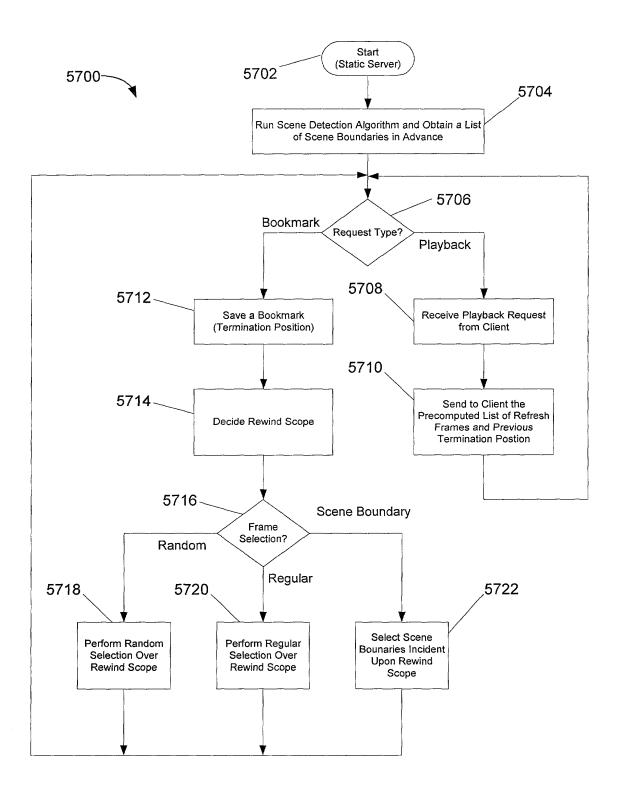
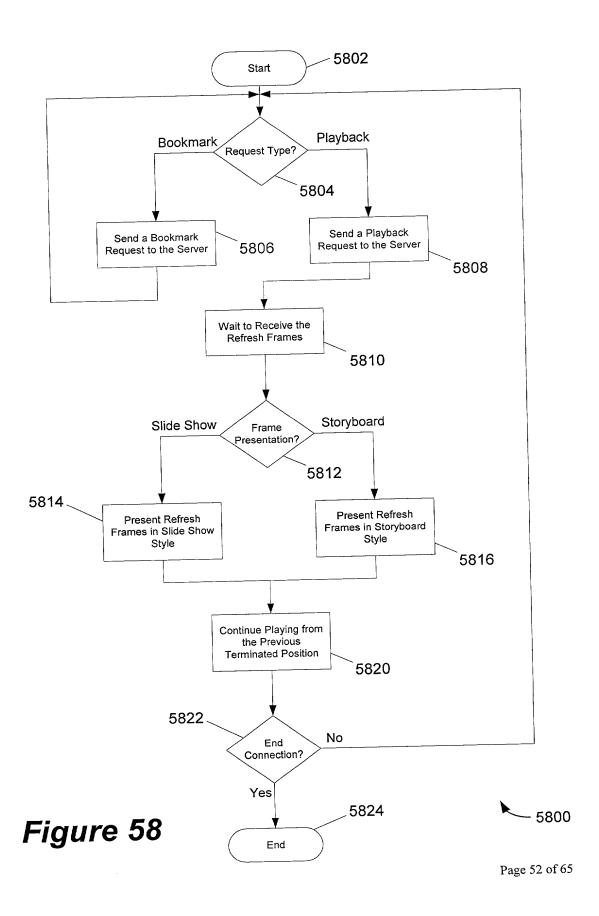


Figure 57



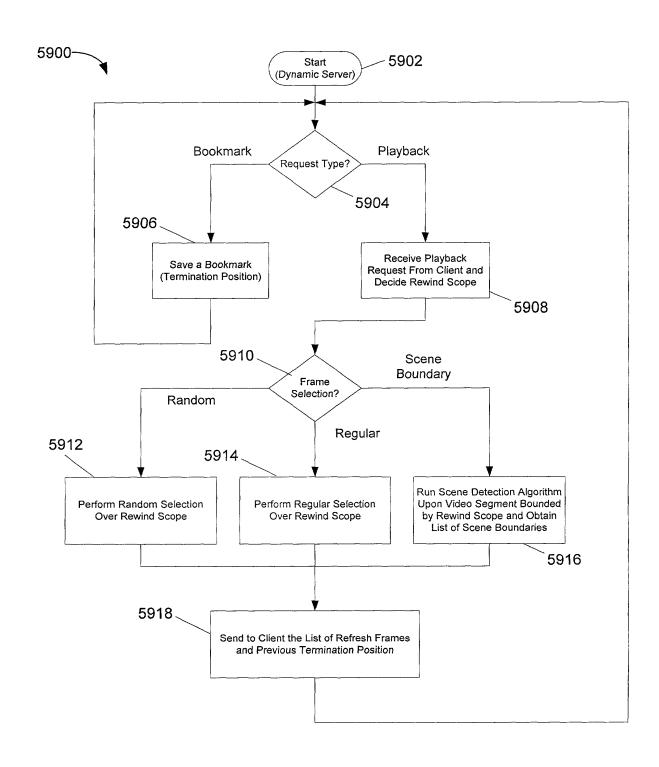


Figure 59

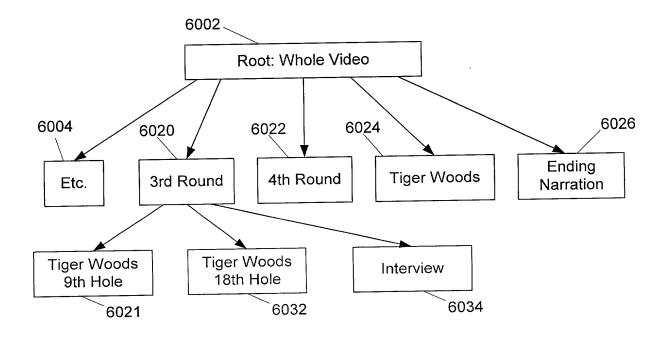


Figure 60

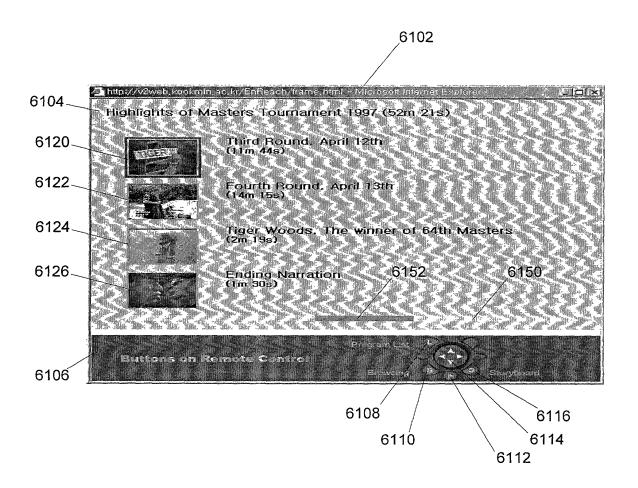


Figure 61

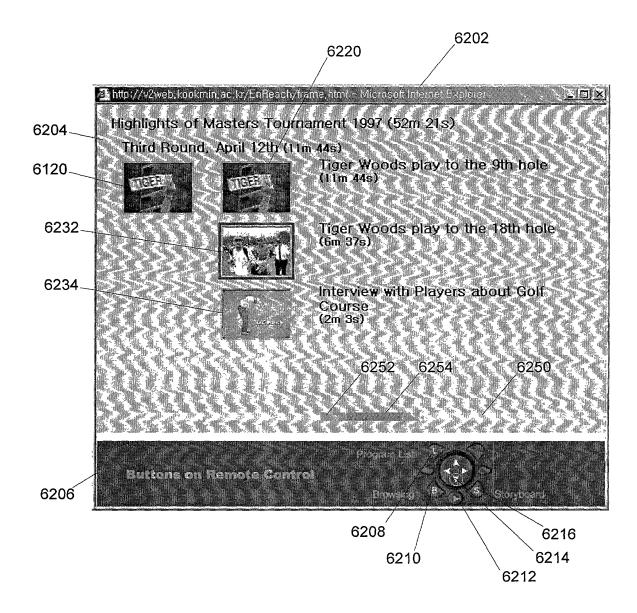


Figure 62

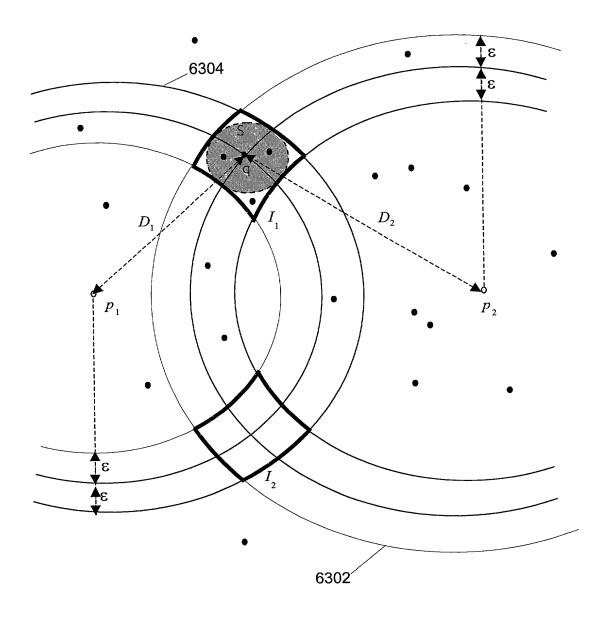


Figure 63

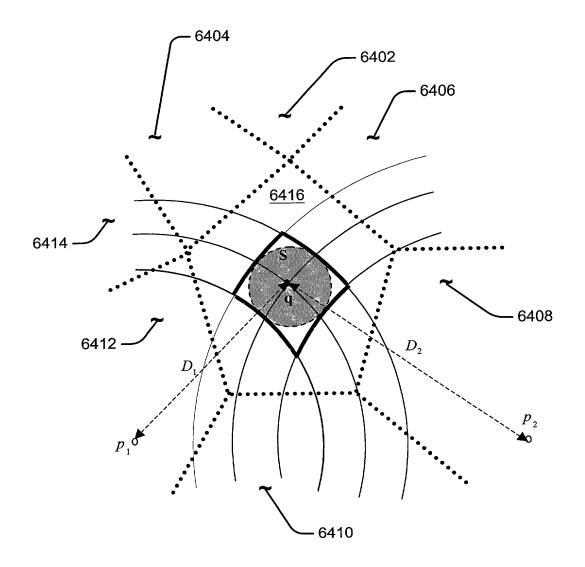
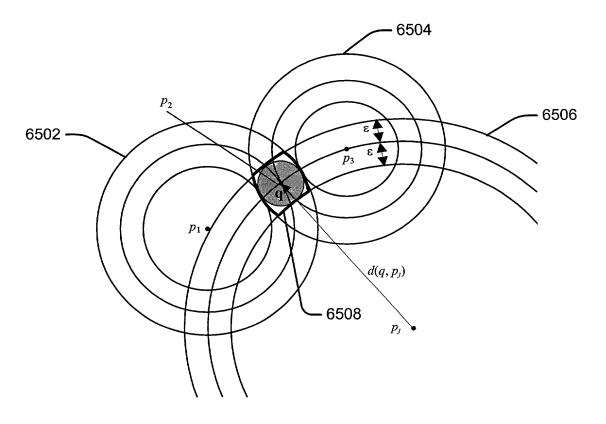


Figure 64



## Figure 65

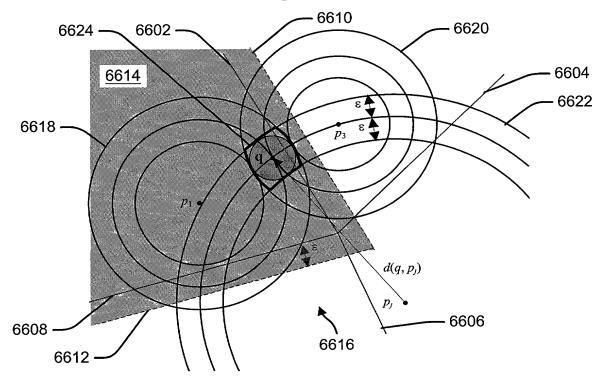


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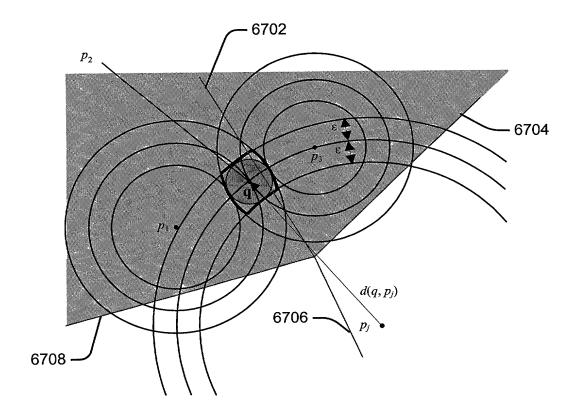


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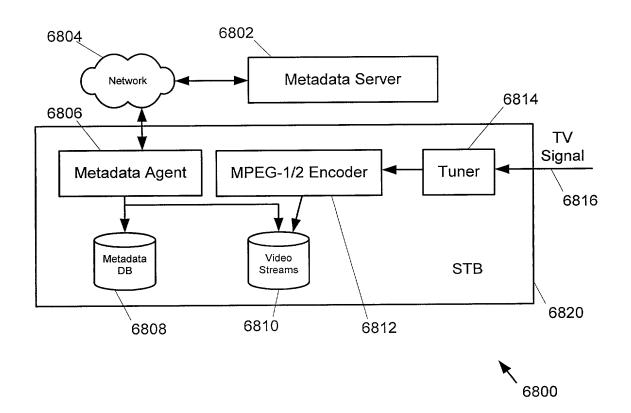


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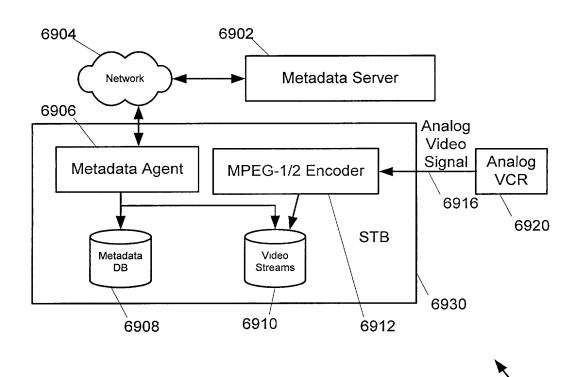
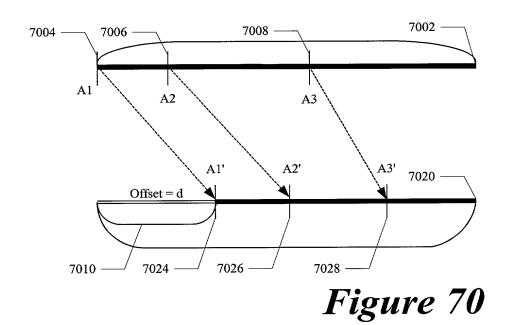


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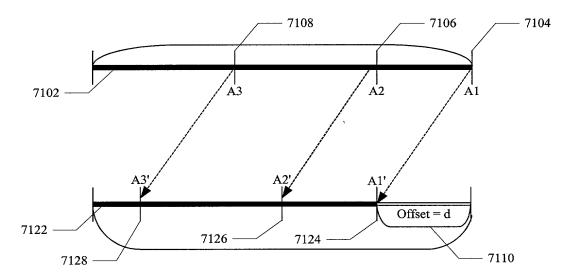


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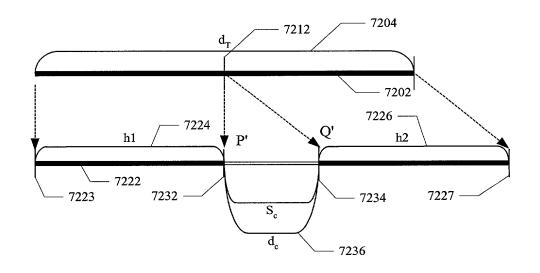


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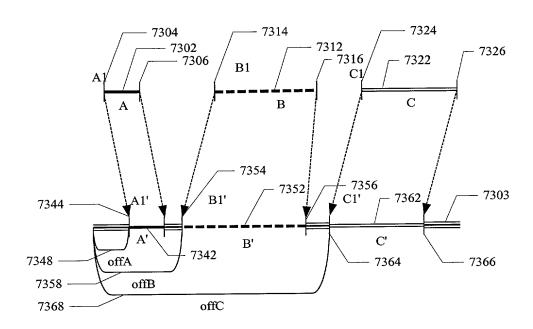


Figure 73